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PATENT

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Applicant: Shields  
Serial No.: 09/651,979  
Filed: August 31, 2000  
For: PORTABLE TERMINAL  
Group: 2137  
Examiner: Michael Pyzocha

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Durham, North Carolina  
November 30, 2004

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Amendment

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of September 7, 2004, please amend the above  
identified application as follows: